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- 2 -The 2 Rifle Regiment, in V.I. Lenin Barracks, Strada Dorobantilor 77. Commander: Colonel Victor Bobeteanu. Adjutant: Major Stan Marguta. Strength: About 500 men. Divided into two battalions of four companies each, plus a technical company. Not motorized. Shoulder boards dark green decorations with a hunter's horn in green. The unit has often been in the Bihor Mountains, probably hunting for partisans. Close-in fighting is emphasized in training. 5. The 14 Artillery Regiment, in the Tudor Vladimirescu Barracks, Piata Armatei 3. Commander: Colonel Gheorghe Chis. Adjutant: Major Florea Sandu. Strength: About 650 men. Divided into two battalions of three batteries each, each battery having four 122 mm howitzers. Partly motorized with caterpillar prime movers. Shoulder boards decorated in black. 6. The 3 Heavy Artillery Regiment, in the Mitrea Cocor Barracks, Piata Armatei 9. Commander: Colonel Nicolae Chiritescu. Adjutant: Major Ilie Vanca. Strength: About 300 men. Regiment in process of organization. Up to 1 March 1953 it had only three batteries. Shoulder boards black with dark red decorations. The 11 Parachute Regiment, in the A.A. Zhdanov Barracks, Calea Aradului 28. Commander: Colonel Stelian Cosoveanu. Adjutant: Major Toma Nanau. About 550 men. Divided into two battalions of four companies each. Strength: The unit has just been organized and will be fully motorized. Shoulder boards decorated in rose-red.

- 8. Army fuel dump, underground, with a capacity of about 250 carloads. Underground piping runs to the Oradea West station. Three oil tanks above ground, 18 m high, about 8 m in diameter.
- The 8 Armored Regiment in the Ilie Pintilie Barracks, Strada Minelor 65. Commander: Colonel Dumitru Pitigoi. Adjutant: Major Aurel Dragomir. Strength: About 450 men. Divided into two battalions of four companies each. Each company has 10 old model T-34s. Fully motorized. Red shoulder boards, decorated in black,
- The 11 AT Regiment, in the Maresal Voroshilov Barracks, Strada Minelor 63. Commander: Lt. Col. Mihai Spiridov. Adjutant: Captain Ion Ciutacu. Strength: About 400 men. Divided into two battalions of four companies each. Partly motorized. Shoulder boards dark red with copper-colored decoration.

11. The 8 Communications Regiment, in the Vlad Tepes Barracks, Strada Minelor 61. Commander: Colonel Constantin Dicu. Adjutant: Captain Stan Nastase. Strength: About 450 men. Divided into two battalions of four companies each. Fully motorized. Shoulder boards decorated in light grey.

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- 13. Post Office 14. Military hospital 15. Militia posts
- 16. Gas works

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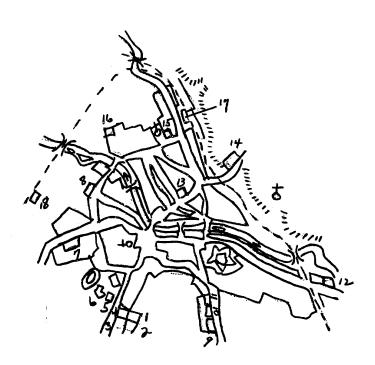
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- 17. East railroad station
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